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In re Application of  
Stephen S. Ing., et. al.  
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**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed by facsimile transmission on June 8, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed September 26, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned after midnight December 26, 2003.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center Art Unit 2126, for further review of the amendment filed with the instant petition.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 308-6711.

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